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AN ECCENTRIC WITCH CHOOSES A USELESS SCARECROW TO BE HER FAMILIAR, BUT WHY...?
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WHAT IS MERIT? A FANTASY ROMANCE THAT RESOUNDS IN THE HEART!
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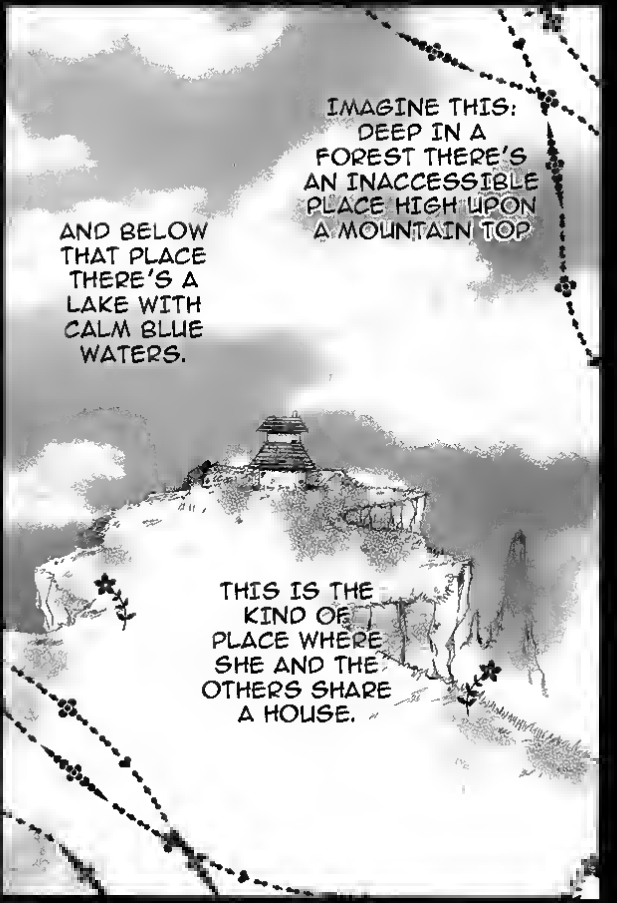
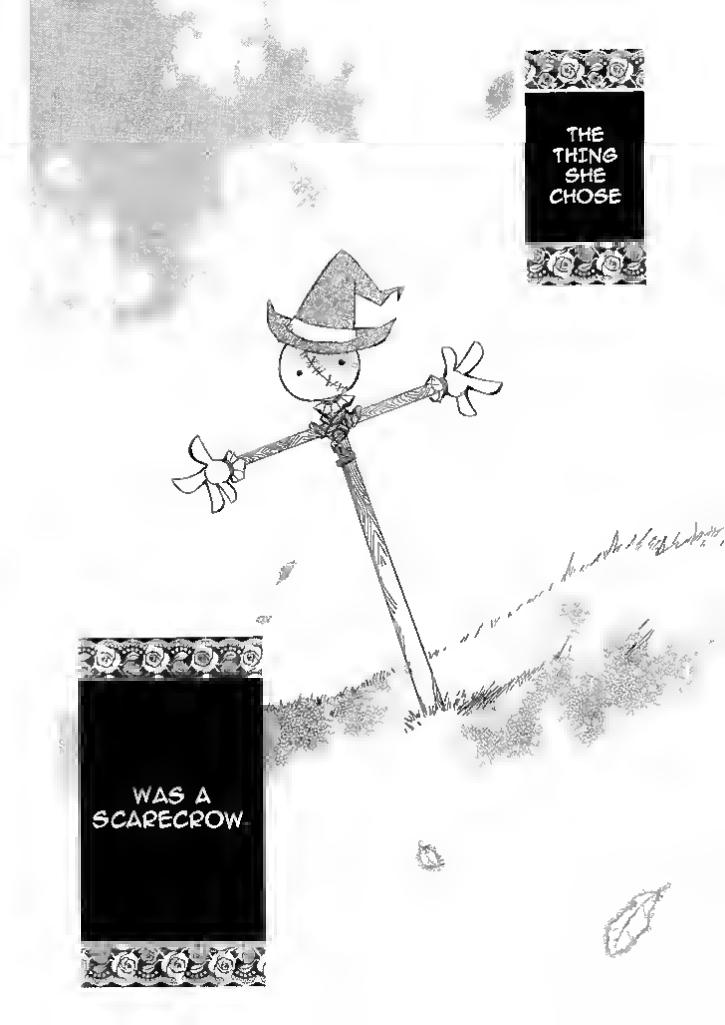

IMAGINE THIS: DEEP IN A FOREST THERE'S AN INACCESSIBLE PLACE HIGH UPON A MOUNTAIN TOP
AND BELOW THAT PLACE THERE'S A LAKE WITH CALM BLUE WATERS.
THIS IS THE KIND OF PLACE WHERE SHE AND THE OTHERS SHARE A HOUSE.

EXTRA-ORDINARY WITCHES LIVE HERE.
IT IS A PLACE DOTTED WITH HIDEAWAYS FOR "REFUGEE" WITCHES
THE CHIEF WHO SUPERVISES THE WITCHES SUMMONED THE THREE EXTRAORDIN-ARY WITCHES AND SAID,
"I SHALL GRANT YOU ALL FAMILIARS"
NOW
CHOOSE YOUR FAVORITE THING

AND FINAL-LY,
THE LAST WITCH...
THE WITCH WHO SOUGHT POWER CHOSE THE BEAST
THE "PRET-TY" WITCH
CHOSE THE TINMAN
WELL THEN
I WANT THAT ONE OVER THERE

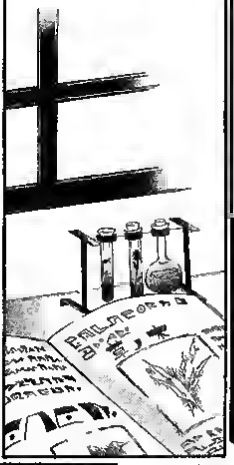

THE THING SHE CHOSE
WAS A SCARECROW

AS USUAL, YOU'RE AN INTERESTING GIRL, NE
GIGGLE
OF ALL THE THINGS YOU PICK A SCARECROW
IT CAN'T DO ANYTHING
FINE, AS YOU PLEASE
GUWA HA HA!
SILVY ROSE ISN'T IT STRANGE FOR YOU TO HAVE NOT DONE A BUNCH OF RESEARCH BEFOREHAND?
NO
NOT ESPECIALLY
WHETHER THAT THING HAS MERIT
SURELY IS OF NO INTEREST TO YOU LILLIAN BERRY.

THIS IS NEW MAGIC I DEVEL-OPED
SILVY ROSE'S HIDE-AWAY
I'M DONE
TURN
CRICK!
IT'S A SUCCESS, NE.
WITH THAT, ARE YOU ABLE TO MOVE FREELY?
KUROU
ha!
I CAN MOVE!
"KUROU" -- FROM NOW ON, THAT IS MY NAME
BEND!

You can easily break and easily burn.
I COULD NOT CHANGE YOUR RAW MATERIALS, SO YOU'RE STILL A SCARECROW BE CAREFUL
!!
THIS GIRL'S NAME IS SILVY ROSE
UH,
OH! REALLY? WOW!!!
SPEAK BY MOVING YOUR MOUTH
!
I HAVE TWO LEGS !
DA!
TA
OH, THERE'S MORE
AND SHE'S THE WITCH WHO CHOSE THE SCARECROW.
Y...YES!
I'll be careful.

SHE IS ONE OF THE THREE WITCHES WHO IS A CANDIDATE TO BE THE NEXT HEAD WITCH



花とゆめコミックス 大好評発売中
ラブシック 全3巻
父の復讐のため、男として学園に転入した彼は!?
モリエサトシ

GOGO 花とゆめ
私生活中に「花とゆめ」読んで PNS様
リフレッシュしてます!! 06心の支え 蘇芳

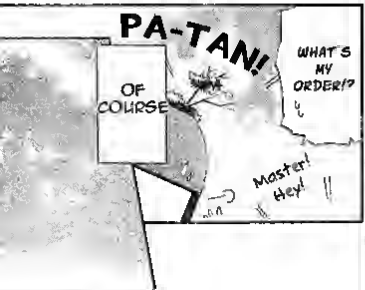
!!
THE TIP OF HER NOSE!!
UGH
TRIP!
MY ORDER ..?
TRIP!
I'M SERIOUS, DO WHAT-EVER YOU WANT
REALLY!?
EH?
AH!
UH... IS THAT REALLY MY ORDER?
AIMLESS
AIMLESS
TIERED
MASTER!?
?
WHAT?
!
GOTCHA!!
GRAB!
SUDDENLY!
UGH...!

EH!?
ARE YOU SICK WITH SOME-THING!?
SHOCK!
SHE'S LIGHT..!
Does she have anything inside of her?
HUH?
WAA...!
ASP!
?
NO, I'M HEALTHY
SOMETHING IS SHABBY AND CARELESS ABOUT HER.
She's definitely raggedy looking
STARE!
AND MORE-OVER,..
WHAT, IS IT, THEN?
I GUESS YOU'RE JUST UNDERDEVEL-OPED!
Because I'm small you assume I'm under developed?
PUT ME DOWN
OKAY

AND YET,
HER BRIGHT PURPLE EYES CONVEY HER STRONG WILL

AND
I WAS SELECTED TO HELP
HER EYES ARE PRETTY

!?
UH!
AS A FAMILIAR
AIMLESS...


PA-TAN!
OF COURSE
WHAT'S MY ORDER!?
Master! Hey!

SHE IS A SHABBY WITCH WHOSE EYES CONTAIN MAGICAL POWER
THE THREE WITCHES CARRY ON THEIR PROUD FAMILIES' RESEARCH INTO POWER, BEAUTY, AND KNOWLEDGE.
BY NATURE THEY ARE RESEARCHERS

MASTER,
FLIP!
FLIP!
FLIP!
IT'S ALREADY MORNING!
And you still haven't given me an order!
--AS EXPECTED, THIS IS THE SITUATION.
SILENCE
MASTER,
WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO SLEEP!?
SERIOUS
WHAT?
DROWSY
I'VE BEEN AWAKE FOR 5 DAYS BUT I'M STILL FINE
!!?
UM. IS THIS OKAY FOR LIVING BEINGS?
I WON'T DIE
IT'S BEEN 3 DAYS SURELY YOU'RE DONE
SHE'S GONE 72 HOURS WITHOUT SLEEP!?
?
I GUESS WHEN I FINISH THIS
AND WHEN WILL THAT BE?
WORK-OUT
Was she attacked by a bear?

DON'T YOU KNOW ...
IF YOU DON'T GET ENOUGH SLEEP YOU'LL GET WORN OUT!?
IS RE-SEARCH
ALL YOU CARE ABOUT!!?
FRIZZLED
FRIZZLED
GRAB!
...I SEE
UH,
FLAP!
DEADPAN
I SLEPT LAST NIGHT A LITTLE
N-O!
YOU DIDN'T SLEEP AT ALL!
!!
Liar!!
WERE YOU WATCHING ME THE WHOLE TIME?
!
IT'S ONE OF THE THINGS I'M GOOD AT
I patiently wait
I patiently watch
I patiently stand
SINCE SOMEBODY WON'T GIVE ME AN ORDER!

WHO COULD THIS BE IN THE ECCENTRIC WITCH'S HIDEAWAY?
STEP
!!!
OH MY!
SOME THING STRANGE IS GOING ON HERE
SWING!
BEEP!
You are way too light
HAVE YOU BEEN EATING PROPERLY?
Even for me as a scarecrow, you are light

LILLIAN BERRY!
PURPLE EYES
THIS IS THE WITCH WHO CHOSE THE TINMAN!
IF I REMEMBER CORRECTLY.
OH MY! IT'S A BOY!

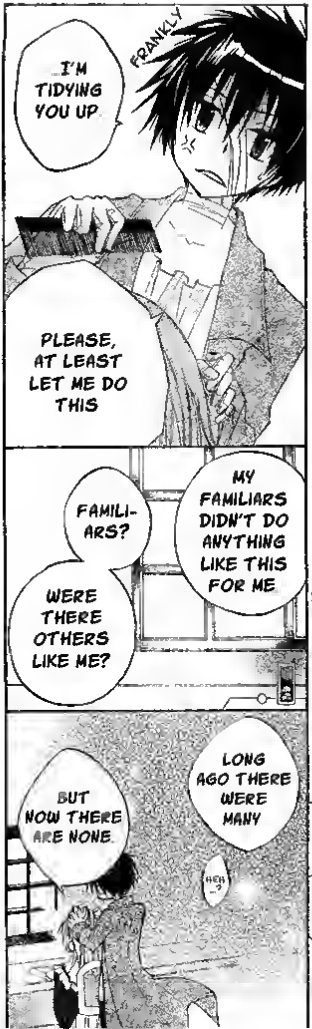
THIS BOY ISN'T HUMAN
SHE IS INDEED A PRETTY WITCH ..
Pardon the intrusion
EH?
HE'S THE SCARECROW.
I CAST A SPELL ON HIM
YEP.
SMART AS EVER
AREN'T YOU, NE?
!
A NEW SPELL YOU CREATED!?
YES

TL NOTE: YEP. *MILK IT DOES A BODY GOOD*

THE CHILD I CHOSE IS QUITE HELPFUL
He Works with me
HE DOESN'T HAVE THE POWER OF A LION, BUT HE CAN PROTECT ME WITH HIS STURDY BODY, NE

EHH!?
WHAT THE HELL!! IS THAT ALL THAT I'M GOOD FOR!?
EH?
CAN YOU DO SOMETHING MORE?
WELL, NO, BUT!!
HUH?
A REASON!
THIS BOY
CAN STAND MOTIONLESS AND WAIT
His specialties are standing, watching and waiting!!
!
IS THIS SO HE CAN'T INTERFERE WITH YOUR RESEARCH!?
THIS IS TOO MUCH!!
She's laughing too hard isn't she
BU KYA KYA!!
BU KYA KYA!!
BU!
WAHA HAHAHA! I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! WHAT'S THAT ABOUT!?
SO,
BLANK STARE.
?
?
THAT SCARECROW IS WAY TOO PITIFUL!
BU KYA KYA!!
BU KYA KYA!!
IS THAT WHY SHE'S LAUGHING ...!?

I THOUGHT YOU HAD OBEDIENTLY GONE TO SLEEP !! YOU'RE SO INCORRIGIBLE..!!
WHAT IS THIS!? IT WAS INSIDE YOUR BED!!
OH, GEEZ! YOU SAW THROUGH MY SUBSTITUTE "PILLOW KUN"
THIS IS A WASTE OF YOUR TALENTS!!!
BAM!
"I'm SLEEP MAD"
MASTER'S VOICE
IS THAT WHY
I HAVEN'T RECEIVED ANY COMMANDS
GEEE
MAS-
TER
...!
Huh!?
KUROU!!
.....
I SEE
GRRR!
Oh no pillow-kun
THROW!
FROM THE START
SQUEEZE!
THIS
GIVE ME SOME CREDIT
DID YOU THINK I COULDN'T DISTINGUISH YOU FROM THIS!?


FRANKLY
I'M TIDYING YOU UP
PLEASE, AT LEAST LET ME DO THIS
FAMILI-ARS?
WERE THERE OTHERS LIKE ME?
MY FAMILIARS DIDN'T DO ANYTHING LIKE THIS FOR ME
LONG AGO THERE WERE MANY
BUT NOW THERE ARE NONE
HEH~?

SHE DIDN'T CHOOSE ME WITH A USE IN MIND
PLEASE HOLD STILL
TILT
WHAT?
SFF...
...KUROU?

I WANT A ROLE.
EH..?
THEY ALL... DISAPPEARED.
HEH?
THE CHIEF WITCH CAREFULLY GATHERED ITEMS OF MERIT AND STORED THEM INSIDE HER HOUSE.
THE ONLY THING
THAT WAS NOT STORED INSIDE OF HER HOUSE WAS ME.

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KAT-TUN
COOL & SMILE
嵐
Hey! Say! JUMP
人気ドラマ&バラエティーの現場へGO!
『怪物くん』
『トラブルマン』
『嵐にしやがれ』
『スクール革命!』
etc
大好評連載!
GET!CAN! 田中 Tバレンタイン
Hey! Say! JUMP
高IZM 松本 潤
KAT-TUNのドキドキ現場へ!
大好評連載!
嵐 お仕事現場 超 おっかけFILE
最新 秘 プライベート情報を大公開!
NEWS／KAT-TUN
関ジャニ∞／Hey!Say!JUMP
中山優馬 w/B I Shadow／NYC
滝沢秀明／今井翼／生田斗真／内博貴
屋良朝幸／Kis-My-Ft2／A.B.C-Z
中山優馬with 7 WEST／ジャニーズJr
上戸彩／石原さとみ／高岡沙紀／武井咲
足立梨花／澤山瑞希他／澤山瑞希／AKB48
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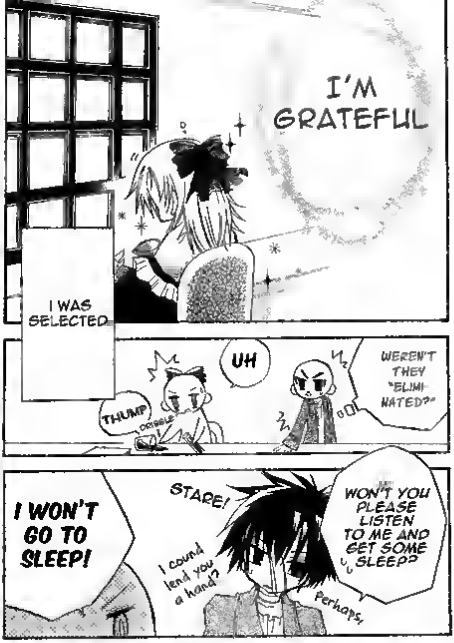

I'M GRATEFUL
I WAS SELECTED
UH
WEREN'T THEY "ELIMINATED?"
THUMP
I can't...

I WON'T GO TO SLEEP!
STARE!
I could lend you a hand?
Perhaps
WON'T YOU PLEASE LISTEN TO ME AND GET SOME SLEEP?

I WANT A ROLE
BUT I'M WORRIED

HERE'S YOUR MEDICINE
THANK YOU, SILVY!
A HUMAN BOY?

IT'S UNUSUAL
FOR A WITCH TO INVITE A HUMAN INTO HER HIDEAWAY
NOD NOD
IS HE A TEST SUBJECT ?
DID SHE FINISH THAT DRUG THIS MORNING?
TAKE THIS FOR THREE DAYS

OH! SO YOU MADE SOME "MEDICINE"
THAT WAS KIND OF YOU
THAT BOY'S VILLAGE WAS STRICKEN BY AN ILLNESS NOBODY KNOWS THE CAUSE. THOUGH
SHE MADE MEDICINE FOR A HUMAN.

I WAS JUST KILLING TIME

EH?
YOU'VE FINISHED YOUR RESEARCH SO IT'S TIME FOR YOU TO GO TO SLEEP
YEP! IT'S TIME FOR A BREAK!
HUH?
Your bed is ready for you!

OH,
I'VE FINISHED CLEANING YOUR ROOM, MASTER

IS THAT WHAT SHE WAS MAKING ALL THOSE SLEEPLESS NIGHT?
um yeah
IT'S BETTER TO MAKE USE OF HUMANS THAN TO LET THEM DIE
I DID IT AS PART OF A COMPLICATED EXPERIMENT FOR MY RESEARCH
I see

DROWSY
I'M LOW ON RAW MATERIALS I'M GOING TO GATHER SOME MORE.
I WILL
DO IT!
NO, I'M FINE! I'LL DO IT!
YOU STAY HERE AND WAIT!
TURN
SCURRY!
JAB!
!?
HUH?
SFX THUD!
IS THERE REALLY NOTHING FOR ME TO DO,
MASTER...?
IF THAT'S THE CASE,
THEN WITH BRUTE FORCE

I WILL PROVE MYSELF
zzz
BUBU
THAT'S THE FIRST THING I NEED TO GET ACCORDING TO THE RESEARCH REPORT I TOOK
hmm..
But I don't know where to get them.
AND FIND A ROLE.
AND
RUST COLOR-ED LEAVES ?
HMM?

HUH?
WHAT ARE YOU ?
SPARK
ZING! ZING!
SPARK
...Is he alive?
HMM? HE LOOKS QUITE TATTERED
SILENCE
!!
SFF!
HUH!?
YOU'RE BROKEN
GRIP!
FOR REAL!?
WHAT ARE YOU IMITATING?
Hey!
ZING ZING ZING
GUSH GUSH GUSH
TICK TICK

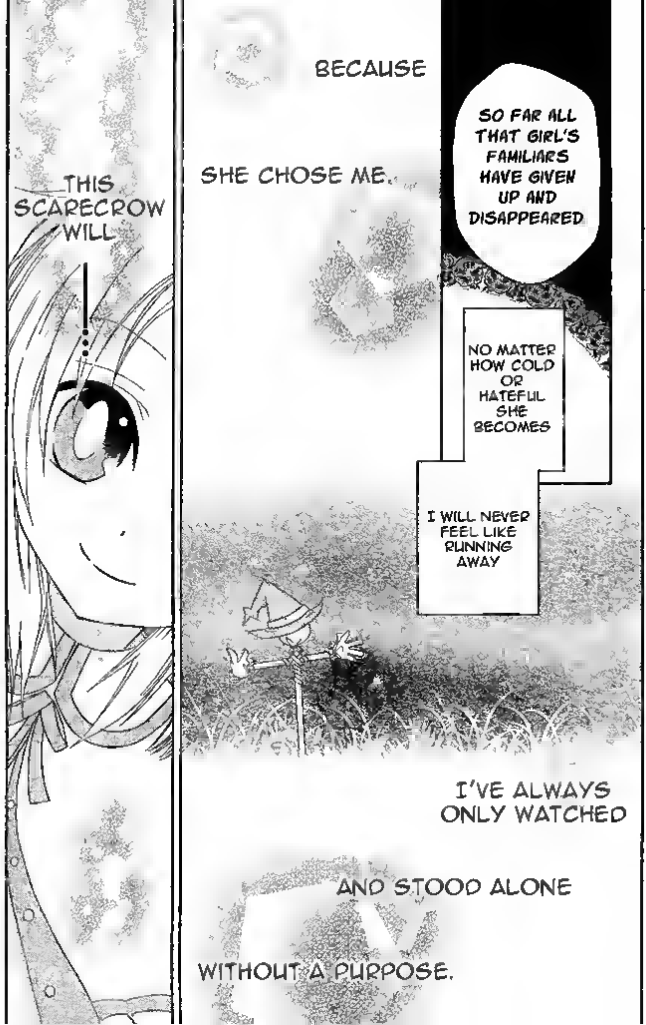
EDDIE,
DON'T HANDLE HIM ROUGHLY
!
SCARE-CROWS ARE FRAGILE.
I SEE, THIS IS YOUR TINMAN, LILLIAN BERRY
IT'S BEEN A WHILE, HASN'T IT?
...
IS HE DOING THIS ON YOUR ORDER?

TO AN END!
HUH?
WHAT?
"GATHERING RAW MATERIALS"
AND WHAT ABOUT YOU? ARE YOU OUT ON SILVY ROSE'S ORDERS
YES
EH?
MAKING MEDICINES FOR HUMANS IS TRULY STRANGE!
THEY BARELY LIVE 100 YEARS BEFORE THEY DIE
HOW DOES SHE KNOW...?
I WANT TO BRING WHIMSICAL RESEARCH LIKE THAT

AUGH!
MY LEG..!
BA-KIN!
STRAIN
IS SOME-THING I CREATED
THAT HUMAN ILLNESS
!?
GIVE ME THAT REPORT!
IF THERE'S A CURE FOR IT
THEN THE VALUE OF MY RESEARCH WILL FALL

HUMANS ARE SOMETHING TO TOY WITH BUT NOT SOMETHING TO SAVE
BUT IN REALITY TO WITCHES,
THE STRANGE ONE IS...
HUMANS HAVE VERY LITTLE VALUE.
YOU'VE GOT SOME AWFUL TASTE WHEN IT COMES TO RESEARCH
DASH!
THERE'S NO WAY
HOP!
I'M GIVING THIS TO YOU!!
GRIP!
MY MASTER
HOP!
HOP!
REMOVE HIS OTHER LEG
..EDDIE,

LUNGE!
UGH!
OH!
DODGE!
KREE!
ZAP!
ZAP!
I'M BROKEN,
EVEN IF
ARE YOU RUNNING AWAY?
I CAN STILL EASILY MOVE WITH ONE LEG
DISGUSTING ISN'T SHE?
JUST AS EXPECTED OF A SCARECROW
THAT COLD GIRL WHO ONLY CARES ABOUT HER RESEARCH, SILVY ROSE


BECAUSE
SHE CHOSE ME.
THIS SCARECROW WILL
SO FAR ALL THAT GIRL'S FAMILIARS HAVE GIVEN UP AND DISAPPEARED
NO MATTER HOW COLD OR HATEFUL SHE BECOMES
I WILL NEVER FEEL LIKE RUNNING AWAY
I'VE ALWAYS ONLY WATCHED
AND STOOD ALONE
WITHOUT A PURPOSE.

"YOU ARE GOING TO SERVE ME"

"YOU ARE NEEDED"

I DON'T WANT YOUR EXPERIMENT TO GO WELL
PLEASE ALLOW ME TO BLOCK YOU...
GIGGLE
...WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS...
LILLIAN BERRY?
KU-ROU!
WHERE'S YOUR LEG !!?
UH IT'S...
!!
EDDIE!!
SWIP!
SWIP!
RETREAT, KUROU!!

GRAB!
NO.
ONE LEG OUGHT TO BE ENOUGH!
GRIP!
A SCARECROW'S JOB IS TO DRIVE PESTS AWAY FROM THE FIELD
I'll do my best!
HOW SO?
GIVE ME THE ORDER, MASTER.
"DRIVE THEM AWAY, KUROU..!"

I DON'T HAVE BRUTE STRENGTH OR A STURDY BODY
IT'S TRUE
AS YOU WISH!
D...SHH...
IF I CAN FIND HIS WEAK-NESS,
STARE
POW!
BZZT!
GRIP!
BUT, I TAKE PRIDE IN BEING ABLE TO SEE WELL.
SH!

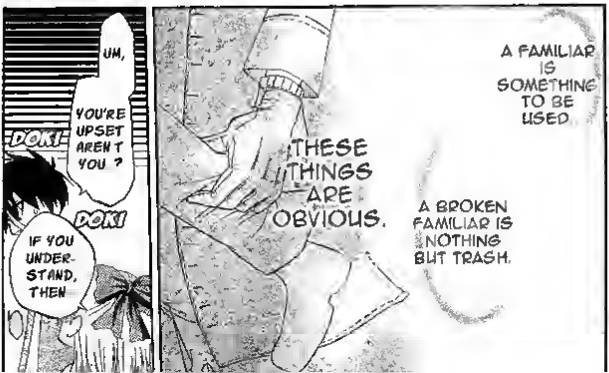
I WILL WIN!
WHAP!
CRACKLE!
HOW COULD A SCARECROW BEAT A TINMAN !?
SKID
NO WAY

BZZT
BZZT
IT'S ONLY NATURAL THAT I'D WIN AFTER FINDING HIS WEAK POINTS
BZZT
BZZT
I HIT HIM ON ONE OF HIS DAMAGED PLACES
THERE ARE 38 MORE OF THEM ON HIS BODY
SHOCK!
I AM THE MASTER!
THERE'S NO REASON TO DO THAT!
YOU SHOULD PROPERLY MEND HIM!
WHAT!?
SILENCE
USELESS CHILD!
HE DID THAT FOR YOUR SAKE...!
!?
THUD!
HMPH!
IF MY FAMILIAR BREAKS, I'LL JUST GET A NEW ONE

WHY'D YOU DO THAT!!
AHHHH
my leg!!!
SHE'S ALREADY GONE!

PHEW
YOU'VE DECIDED...
NOT TO RUN AWAY, RIGHT?

HUH?
SILENCE


UM,
YOU'RE UPSET AREN'T YOU ?
DOKI
DOKI
IF YOU UNDER-STAND, THEN
THESE THINGS ARE OBVIOUS.
A FAMILIAR IS SOMETHING TO BE USED.
A BROKEN FAMILIAR IS NOTHING BUT TRASH.

GIVE ME
YOUR LEG.
...BUT AREN'T YOU ANGRY?
You're going to fix it?
Gimme.
So I can fix it
EH!?
OF COURSE
I'M ANGRY! THIS IS REALLY BAD
STRETCH
YOUR LEG WAS TORN OFF..
SHAKE
Wow!
THIS WOULDN'T HAVE HAPPENED IF YOU STAYED AT HOME
GEEZ.
I THOUGHT YOU DISAPPEARED..!!

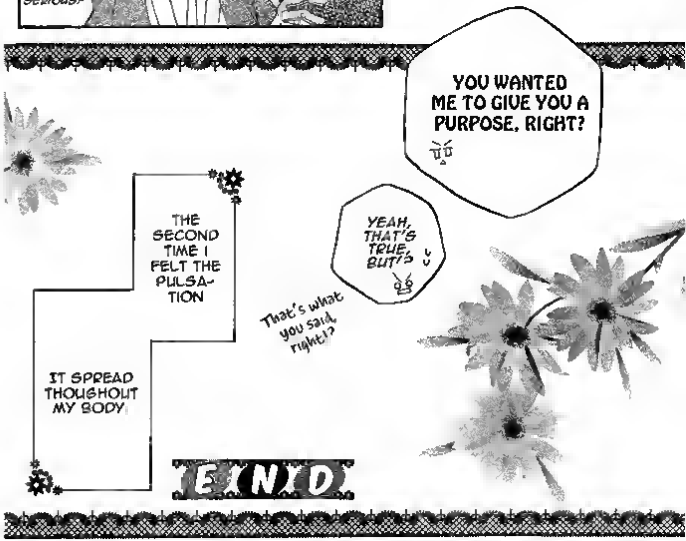
I LOVE DOING RESEARCH,
EH?
BUT, BECAUSE I BECOME IMMERSED, I DON'T NOTICE WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND ME
WITCHES EASILY BECOME NEGLECTFUL AND WHEN THAT HAPPENS, THEIR FAMILIARS
RUN AWAY WHEN THE WITCH FALLS ASLEEP
AH, IS THAT WHY

SHE REFUSED TO GO TO SLEEP ...?
SHE THOUGHT
THAT'S WHY
I MIGHT DISAPPEAR TOO?
I CHOSE A SCARECROW
A SCARE-CROW WILL ALWAYS WATCH OVER ME
AND WILL ALWAYS BE THERE WAITING FOR ME.

GASP!
?
OH!
I GET IT!
GAVE LIFE TO ME AS A SCARE-CROW
GRAB!
HUH?
AS A
SCARECROW I AM REALLY NEEDED.
SO YOU'RE JUST LONELY!
!?
THAT'S WHAT I THOUGHT
THOSE WORDS

FU FU FU!
DOKI!
WOULD YOU?
EH!?
ARE YOU SERIOUS?
She's laughing?

I'LL STAY WITH YOU, SO PLEASE GET SOME SLEEP
BONK
HOW ABOUT WE GO TO SLEEP TOGETHER?
(LAUGH)


YOU WANTED ME TO GIVE YOU A PURPOSE, RIGHT?
YEAH, THAT'S TRUE, BUT?
That's what you said, right!?
THE SECOND TIME I FELT THE PULSATION
IT SPREAD THOUGHOUT MY BODY.
END